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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department – A.P. Housing Board, Kurnool Division – Allegation of allowing payments for substandard work in the construction of MIG Houses in Phase-IX of AP Housing Board at Nandyal in Kurnool Division against Sri G. Bhaskar, Dy.EE, Kurnool Division, Kurnool (Now Retired) – Enquiry conducted – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.707 **Dated.21.12.2021**

Read the following :-

1. From DG, GA(V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No.54(1606/V&E/E/2016, dt.22.06.2017.
2. G.O.Rt.No.675 MA & UD (HB.VC) Dept., dt.,22.09.2017
3. WSD of Sri G.Bhskar, Dy.EE, A.P. Housing Board, Kurnool Division, dt.04.11.2017
4. G.O.Rt.No.225, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.III) Department, dated.08.05.2020.
5. From Inquiring Authority Lr.No.707/TA/SE-VJA/2020, dt.27.09.2020
6. Govt.Memo.No.666994/Vig.II-1/2017, dated.06.04.2021.

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ORDER :-

Based on the recommendation of Director General, General Administration (V&E) Department in the reference 1st read above, Government initiated departmental proceedings against Sri G.Bhskar, Dy.EE, A.P.Housing Board, Nandyal on the allegation of allowing payments for substandard work in the construction of MIG Houses in Phase-IX of AP Housing Board at Nandyal in Kurnool Division vide reference 2nd read above.

2. In the reference 3rdread above, the charged officers submitted his Written Statement of Defense duly requesting to drop further action in the matter. Having not convinced with the explanations, Government appointed Sri Ch.V.Ramakrishna, EE & SE (i/c), A.P. Housing Board as an Inquiry Officer, with a direction to enquire into the charges framed against all the charged officers vide reference 4th read above.

3. In the reference 5thread above, the Inquiring Authority submitted the enquiry report stating that the charges were established against Sri G.Bhskar, Dy.EE, A.P.Housing Board, Nandyal during the Inquiry. The Inquiry Authority observed that the entire recoveries due from the contractors were realised/proposed to be realised only in LA 6th and final bill on 08.12.2017 by his successor and there is no monetary loss to the AP Housing Board.

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4. Government have accepted the findings of Inquiry Authority and communicated to the charged officer Sri G.Bhskar, Dy.EE, A.P.Housing Board, Nandyal under Rule 21(2) of APCS(CCA) Rules, 1991 vide reference 6th read above. The charged officer has filed his written representation.

5. Government have examined the written representation of CO; keeping in view of the findings of the Inquiry Authority and records made available and observed that on the same allegation departmental proceedings were concluded against Sri G.Bhskar, Dy.EE, Kurnool Division, Kurnool by imposing a punishment of Censure by the competent authority, and the recovery was also affected for Rs.1,51,18,507.75 from the contractor and further action , if any, against him leads double jeopardy. Hence, it has decided to drop further action against Sri G.Bhaskar, Dy.EE, A.P.Housing Board, Kurnool Division.

6. Government after careful consideration, hereby drop further action against Sri G.Bhaskar, Dy.EE, A.P.Housing Board, Kurnool Division.

7. The Vice Chairman & Housing Commissioner, A.P. Vijayawada, shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y.SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Vice Chairman & Housing Commissioner, A.P. Vijayawada.

Copy to:

Sri G. Bhaskar, Dy.EE, Kurnool Division, Kurnool (Now Retired) (through Vice Chairman & Housing Commissioner, A.P. Vijayawada)
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission.
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// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER